IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

DAVID T. COOPER, : CIVIL ACTION

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Plaintiff

:

v.

REGINALD A. ROBERTS, et al.,

.

Defendants : No. 08-0346

ORDER

AND NOW, this day of , 2008, upon consideration of Defendant Powell's motion for an extension of time, and for good cause shown, it is hereby ORDERED that the motion is GRANTED. Defendant Powell's time to respond to Plaintiff David Cooper's Complaint is hereby ENLARGED to June 16, 2008.

BY THE COURT:	

EDUARDO C. ROBRENO, J.

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MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME IN WHICH TO RESPOND TO PLAINTIFF'S COMPLAINT

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 6(b), Defendant Dennis

Powell, by his attorney Kevin R. Bradford, Deputy Attorney General, moves the

Court to grant an extension of time in which to respond to Plaintiff David

Cooper's Complaint. That response is currently due on May 16, 2008.

Defendant Powell relies on the following reasons for his request:

- 1. This matter was referred to the Pennsylvania Office of Attorney General and then administratively assigned to undersigned counsel last week.
- 2. Plaintiff's Complaint contains a number of facts and claims against Defendant Powell.
- 3. Undersigned counsel needs time to carefully review those facts and claims, gather the necessary information for a response, and compose that response.
- 4. Extending the time for Defendant Powell's response to Plaintiff's Complaint to June 16, 2008 (a 30-day extension) should provide sufficient time to file the response.

- 5. Plaintiff will not be prejudiced by a brief extension.
- 6. This motion is made without dilatory intent.

WHEREFORE, the Defendant Powell prays for an order extending the deadline for his response to Plaintiff's Complaint to June 16, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS W. CORBETT, JR. **Attorney General**

s/ Kevin Bradford By:

> Kevin R. Bradford **Deputy Attorney General** Attorney I.D. No. 88576

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Date: May 15, 2008

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Kevin R. Bradford, hereby certify that the Motion for extension has been filed electronically on May 15, 2008 and is available for viewing and downloading from the Court's Electronic Case Filing System ("ECF"). The following parties are listed as ECF Filing Users and are therefore automatically served by electronic means:

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I further certify that a true and correct copy of this document was mailed on May 15, 2008 by first class mail, postage prepaid to the following parties who are not listed as ECF Filing Users in this matter:

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